

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

TYRONE HURT,

No. C 12-02728 WHA

Plaintiff,

v.

**ORDER RE LETTER RECEIVED
NOVEMBER 26, 2012**

50 States and the City of Washington,
All State Legislatures of the 50 States,
and U.S. Department of Justice,

Defendants.

Pro se plaintiff Tyrone Hurt's hand-written complaint was dismissed in part because it was largely illegible. Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis was thus denied, "without prejudice to refiling once plaintiff has submitted a complaint that is legible" (Dkt. No. 11). Rather than file a legible complaint, however, plaintiff appealed the order denying him leave to proceed in forma pauperis. The appeal was dismissed as untimely. Plaintiff has now filed a letter, addressed to the Clerk, requesting that the complaint be forwarded back to him "to be made legible." *First*, such letters to the Court or the Clerk of the Court are improper. Plaintiff should refrain from such communications in the future. The Clerk will not return documents to plaintiff. *Second*, the Court construes this letter as a request to file an amended complaint. Plaintiff must file an amended complaint by **JANUARY 2, 2013**. Failure to file a cognizable legal claim by this date shall result in dismissal of this action with prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 10, 2012.



WILLIAM ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE